

Post-Office Notifications.

A mail with close.
 For Singapore, Somerset, Olvehind Bay,
 Bowen, Koppal Bay, Brisbane, Sydney, and
 Melbourne.—For *Attorney General*, to-day, the
 20th instant, at 11 a.m.
 For Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow.—For
Kwangtung, to-day, the 20th inst., at 4.30 P.M.
 For Shanghai.—For *Mencius*, to-day, the
 20th instant, at 5 p.m.
 For Singapore, Suez, and London.—For
Admiral, to-day, the 20th instant, at 5 p.m.

MAILS BY THE "ENGLISH PACKET"
 To Hongkong Control Packet "ZAMBESI"

will be dispatched with the *Enai Mails* for Europe, &c., on SATURDAY, the 20th inst. at noon.

On any Orders, on any of the Money Order Office, in the United Kingdom will be granted until 5 P.M. on the 19th instant.

The Post-Office will be open until 6 P.M. on the 19th instant.

Letters, &c., may be posted during the night in a box left open for their reception.

Letters for registration will be received until 10 A.M. on the 20th instant.

Letters may be posted until 10 A.M. on the 20th instant, without late fee.

Letters posted after 10 A.M. on the 20th instant, will not be forwarded unless the *Late Fee* of 15 cents each be as well as the postage is prepaid.

The latest time for posting Letters at this Office is 11 A.M., and for Newspapers, Books, or *Pattersons* on the 20th instant.

Late letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom *en Brindisi*, or to Singapore, may be posted on board the Packet from 11.30 A.M. to the time of sailing, on payment of a *Late Fee* of 45 cents each in addition to the postage.

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.

General Post-Office,
Hong Kong, 8th June, 1874.

MAIL-BY THE "FRENCH PACKET."
The French Mail Packet, "*TRAGUADY*," will be dispatched on SATURDAY, the 27th instant, at noon, with the *Mails*.

To and through the United Kingdom *en Marseille*; to France and other Continental Ports (in a closed mail to France); to Saigon, Singapore, Cebu, Yokohama, Madras, Bombay, India, Socotra, Mauritius, Mauritania, &c.

and Alexandria.

The Post Office will be open for the reception of Ordinary Letters, Newspapers, Books, &c. until 11 A.M. on the 27th instant, after which no Letters can be received.

Money Orders on any of the Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom will be granted until 5 P.M. on the 26th instant.

Letters for Registration will be received until 10 A.M. on the 27th instant.

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,
Hongkong, 13th June, 1874.

It is hereby notified that henceforward the postage on letters addressed to Norway, when forwarded via Southampton, will be 3d cents per half-ounce, prepayment optional. Unpaid letters will be subject to an additional charge on delivery.

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,
Hongkong, 22nd February, 1873.

It is hereby notified that henceforward the postage on letters addressed to Denmark, when forwarded via Southampton, will be 2d cents

per half-ounce, prepayment additional. Uppaid letters will be subject to an additional charge on delivery.

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,
Hongkong, 22nd February, 1873.

It is hereby notified that the rates of postage on Letters addressed to the United Kingdom, and to places beyond the United Kingdom, when forwarded by French Packet, will be the same as those chargeable on Letters forwarded by British Packet via Brindisi.

F. W. MITCHELL
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,
Hongkong, 29th April, 1872.

It is hereby notified that the postage chargeable upon *Paied* Letters addressed to France will henceforward be 12 cents per quarter-ounce when forwarded by French Mail Packet, and 18 cents per quarter-ounce when forwarded by British Mail Packet.

F. W. MITCHELL,

General Post-Office,
Hongkong, 20th December, 1871.

The Post Office of Victoria (Australia) having given notice to the General Post Office in London that articles of Jewellery received in that Colony are chargeable with Customs Duties, the undersigned considers it necessary to make this Regulation known to the Public and to state that any letters or packets containing such articles sent through the Post will be liable, with their contents, to be forfeited.

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.

General Post-Office,
Hongkong, 21st January, 1873.

It is hereby notified for general information that on and after the first August next, the Commissioner, Chargeable with Customs Orders issued upon the United Kingdom at Hongkong, Shanghai, and Yokohama, will be as follows, viz.:

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| On sums not exceeding £2 | 18 cents. |
| Above £2 and not exceeding £5 .. | 36 " |
| Above £5 and not exceeding £7 10 .. | 45 " |
| Above £7 10 | 54 " |

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,
Hongkong, 15th April, 1879.

It is hereby notified that Letters addressed to France may be sent either paid or unpaid at the option of the sender, but the postage on Prices Current, Newspapers and Books cannot be prepaid.

For each ounce
The rate of postage chargeable on Letters addressed to France per French Packet is..... 12 cents.
For British Packet "..... 10 "
Bridals "..... 18 "
For British Packet when unmarked via Alexandria and Marseilles "..... 16 "

P. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,
Longkong, 2nd April, 1879.

Arrangements having been made under which Mails for London arriving at Suva from China by Private Ship will henceforward be despatched via Bridialti, it is hereby notified

The rates of postage, which must be paid in advance, on correspondence addressed to the United States so forwarded, will be as follows:

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| For Letters..... | 24 cents per half ounce. |
| " Newspapers..... | 8 " " |
| " Packages..... | not exceeding 7 ounces 6 cents, |
| " Books and..... | " " 6 " |
| " Patrons..... | " " 4 " |
| " Carriage additional..... | 10 " |

F. W. MITCHELL
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,
Hongkong, 20th December, 1871.

It is hereby notified that henceforward the rates of postage which must be paid in advance, on Packets of printed papers or other materials of light weight sent from Hongkong by the United Kingdom by the Chinese Steamer Company via San Francisco, will be as follows:

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| For a packet not exceeding 1 ounce..... | 3 cents |
| " in weight..... | " " |
| For a packet above 1 ounce not ex- ceeding 3 ounces..... | 6 " |
| For a packet above 3 ounces..... | 9 " |

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E. W. MOORELL.
Postmaster General.
General Post Office,
Hongkong, 18th April, 1870.

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